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**AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION**

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 5, line 16 with the following amended paragraph:

Figure 2 illustrates transceiver module 10 ~~extract~~ extracted slightly from cage 12 in accordance with the present invention. Cage 12 is shown mounted to PCB 14. Cage latch 16 is illustrated extending out from PCB 14. The front edge 17 of latch 16, that is, the edge closest to front face 21 of transceiver module 10, is curved slightly in a direction away from transceiver module 10, forming a sloped ramp. Cage latch 16 also includes latch slot 24. Transceiver module 10 includes module cover 26 and latch boss 22. Module cover 26 is configured to fit over transceiver module 10 and helps secure module 10 in cage 12 when it is inserted therein, and also helps secure release handle 18 to transceiver module 10.

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 8, line 10 with the following amended paragraph:

In order to remove transceiver module 10 from full engagement in cage 12, release handle 18 is rotated from its closed position. Such rotation will slide actuator 30 within actuator slot 40 in a direction away from the front of transceiver module 10. This will cause first and second actuator lines 34 and 36 to move up first and second actuation ramps 42 and 44 in a direction away from module surface 28 thereby engaging cage latch 16. This will cause cage latch 16 to also move in the direction away from module surface 28. This will push cage latch 16 off latch boss 22 thereby providing sufficient clearance between latch boss 22 and latch slot 24 such that transceiver module 10 can be removed from cage 12.

The purpose of these amendments is to correct grammatical errors. No new matter is believed to be entered as a result of these amendments to the specification.